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Applicant: Noriyuki ARAI et al. Conf.: 4527

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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

October 3, 2002

Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated September 5, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

AMENDMENTS

In the Specification:

Please replace the last paragraph on page 16, with the following paragraph:

— ·Liquid crystal polyester resins A to I: liquid crystal polyester resins composed of the above-mentioned structural unit (2), having a molar ratio (A<sub>1</sub>):(B<sub>1</sub>):(B<sub>2</sub>):(C<sub>1</sub>) of 60:6:14:20, and having a flow initiation temperature of 214°C in the case of a



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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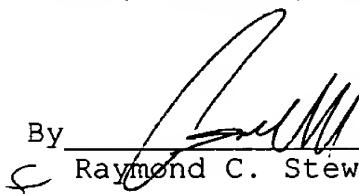
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Respectfully submitted,

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